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## COLONEL BART O. IDDINS



Colonel Bart O. Iddins is commander, 42nd Medical Group, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala. As commander, he is responsible for establishing policies and maintaining standards of practice governing all medical and dental healthcare services and support programs for more than 41,000 beneficiaries in the Maxwell/Gunter community. His command includes three squadron commanders and a staff of over 330 personnel. He manages an annual budget of \$18.5 million and performs extensive planning in support of wartime and peacetime contingencies and deploys medical assets worldwide.

Colonel Iddins entered the Air Force as a public health officer. He was awarded his medical degree in 1991. Colonel Iddins was assigned as a flight surgeon to the 352nd Special Operations Group at RAF Alconbury and RAF Mildenhall, United Kingdom, where he served two tours. He completed residency training at Lackland AFB, Texas, received specialty board certification, and a regular Air Force commission. Colonel Iddins served as commander, 377th Aerospace Medicine

Squadron at Kirtland AFB, N.M. and as commander, 410th Expeditionary Medical Group at a forward deployed location during Operation Iraqi Freedom. Before assuming his current position, he graduated with highest academic distinction from Air War College, Maxwell AFB, Ala.

### EDUCATION

- 1982 Doctor of Veterinary Medicine, University of Tennessee College of Veterinary Medicine
- 1987 Squadron Officer School (correspondence)
- 1991 Doctor of Medicine, University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio
- 1992 Transitional Internship, Wilford Hall USAF Medical Center, San Antonio, Texas
- 1997 Air Command and Staff College (correspondence)
- 2000 Dermatology Residency, Wilford Hall USAF Medical Center, San Antonio, Texas
- 2003 Air War College (correspondence)
- 2004 Master of Strategic Studies, Air War College, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.

### ASSIGNMENTS

1. October 1985 - July 1987, chief, military public health, Goodfellow Air Force Base, Texas
2. August 1987 - May 1991, medical student, Armed Forces Health Professions Scholarship Program, College Station/San Antonio, Texas

3. June 1991 - July 1992, transitional internship, Wilford Hall USAF Medical Center, Lackland Air Force Base, Texas
4. September 1992 - October 1994, 67th Special Operations Squadron flight surgeon and 321st Special Tactics Squadron medical director, RAF Alconbury, United Kingdom.
5. October 1994 - June 1997, medical flight commander, 352nd Special Operations Group and 321st Special Tactics Squadron medical director, RAF Mildenhall, United Kingdom.
6. July 1997 - June 2000, dermatology resident, 59th Medical Wing, Lackland Air Force Base, Texas
7. July 2000 - August 2001, medical services flight commander, 55th Medical Operations Squadron, Offutt Air Force Base, Neb.
8. August 2000 - January 2002, deputy squadron commander, 55th Medical Group, Offutt Air Force Base, Neb.
9. July 2001 - January 2002, chief, medical staff, 55th Medical Group, Offutt Air Force Base, Neb.
10. January 2002 - July 2003, commander, 377th Aerospace Medicine Squadron, Kirtland Air Force Base, N.M.
11. January 2003 - May 2003, commander, 410th Expeditionary Medical Group, forward deployed location, Southwest Asia
12. July 2003 - June 2004, student, Air War College, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.
13. June 2004 – present, commander, 42nd Medical Group, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.

## **FLIGHT INFORMATION**

Rating: Senior Flight Surgeon and Basic Parachutist

Flight hours: +940

Aircraft flown: HC-130, MC-130, AC-130, MH-53, UH-1, MH-47, C-17, C-9, C-5, C-141, KC-135, T-37

Combat sorties: 34

Combat support sorties: 73

## **MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS**

Bronze Star Medal

Defense Meritorious Service Medal

Meritorious Service Medal with three oak leaf clusters

Air Medal

Aerial Achievement Medal with four oak leaf clusters

Joint Service Commendation Medal

Air Force Commendation Medal

Air Force Achievement Medal

Combat Readiness Medal with one oak leaf cluster

Humanitarian Service Medal

## **EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION**

Captain	June 15, 1987
Major	June 15, 1993
Lieutenant Colonel	May 31, 1999
Colonel	May 31, 2003

(Current as of July 2004)